THE BANK OF MYSORE, LIMITED, BANGALORE.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Mysore, Limited, for the week ending 24th September 1925, published under Article 141 of the Articles of Association.

LIABILITIES		Rs.	ASSETS		Rs.
To Capital Receipts	...	20,00,000	By cash in hand and at Bankers		33,79,198
,, Reserve Funds	...	13,75,000	,, loans and cash credit accounts		98,99,156
,, Public and other deposits	...	1,37,98,636	,, bills discounted	...	2,74,146
,, Sundries	...	2,38,123	,, investments	...	32,53,095
			,, balance at Agencies	...	.....
(Annas and pies omitted.)			,, dead stock	...	5,53,414
			,, sundries	...	52,750
Total	...	1,74,11,759	Total	..	1,74,11,759

Statement of affairs of the Bank of Mysore, Limited, for the month ending 30th September 1925 published under Article 141 of the Articles of Association.

LIABILITIES		Rs.	ASSETS		Rs.
To Capital Receipts	...	20,00,000	By cash in hand and at Bankers		35,62,720
,, Reserve Funds	...	13,75,000	,, loan and cash credit accounts		99,25,506
,, Public and other Deposits	...	1,39,15,182	,, bills discounted	...	2,72,401
,, Sundries	...	3,27,515	,, investments	...	32,18,759
			,, balance at Agencies	...	17,427
(Annas and pies omitted,)			,, dead stock	...	5,53,412
			,, sundries	...	67,472
Total	...	1,76,17,697	Total	...	1,76,17,697

BANGALORE,
Dated 6th October 1925.

P. W. O'BRIEN,
Manager.

"I intend moving the Honourable the Chief Court for enrolment as an advocate thereof."

MOHAMED VALIULLA, B.A., LL.B.

FOREST DEPARTMENT.

BANGALORE DISTRICT,

Notification dated 2nd October 1925.

It is hereby informed that the right of collecting and removing the dry bamboos in the State Forests of the Bangalore District, for the year 1925-26, will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer, on the dates and at the places noted below :—

The sale will commence at 2 P.M., on each day of sale.

No.	Name of Range	Name of Forest	Date of sale	Place of sale
1	Anekal	Ragihalli Forest	6th November 1925 ..	Kaglipur Range office.
		Gulhatti		
		Mahadeswara		
		Banirgatta		
2	Closepet	Hondigund	2nd November 1925 ..	Closepet Travellers' Bungalow.
		Hultar		
		Savandurga		
		Siddedevarabetta		
		Ramadevarbetta		
		Achal		
		Banterkuppe		
		Cheelur		
		Kumbalgod		
3	Kankanhalli ..	Gangadharangudda	26th October 1925 ..	Kankanhalli Travellers' Bungalow.
		Durgadakal		
4	Muggur	Muggur	28th October 1925 ..	Kodihalli Travellers' Bungalow.
		Ramadevarbetta		
		Muniswarabetta		
		Chowrakal		
		Chunchi East		
5	Satnur	Basavanbetta Unsold portions ..	30th October 1925 ..	Satnur Travellers' Bungalow.
		Chilandadi		
		Chunchi West		
6	Kabbal	Atchal	31st October 1925 ..	Polya Range office.

Terms of Sale.

The highest bidder shall pay twenty-five per cent of the entire contract amount, immediately after the sale is concluded together with Local and Education cesses at 1 anna and half an anna per rupee, respectively, on the full sale amount. If he fails to do so, the produce will be resold at once at his risk and he will be liable for any loss that may be caused to Government by the resale, but shall not participate in any profit.

2. The accepted bidder shall pay the balance of his contract amount within a week from the date on which the confirmation of the sale is intimated to him, failing which, the deposit money will be forfeited to Government and the balance remaining recovered as land revenue demand from him.

3. The officer conducting the sale reserves to himself the power of accepting or rejecting any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

4. The lessee or his servants shall not injure any trees in any way on the plea of collecting the produce.

5. The lessee shall not collect any other produce than those he has purchased.

6. The lessee will be personally held responsible for acts of his agents or servants in the business of collection and he shall before removal of the produce have it checked by a Forest Officer.

7. He shall remove all the produce from the limits of the State Forest, before the end of June 1926.

8. The lessee shall be held responsible for the occurrence of any fire within the State Forest if there is sufficient ground for the Forest Department to think that it has been caused by his negligence or by that of his employees.

9. Neither the lessee nor his men shall enter the State Forest, either before sunrise or after sunset.

10. The lessee shall deposit Rs. 25 as security or one-fourth the sale amount whichever is less for the due fulfilment of the conditions of his contract and shall execute a bond accepting the above conditions in the event of breach of any of the above conditions the money deposited as security shall be forfeited and the lease is liable to be cancelled.

Notification dated the 28th September 1925.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting Thangadi and Kakke barks on all Government unoccupied lands and State Forests from the date of confirmation of sale to 30th June 1927, in the Taluk noted below will be resold by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, assisted by the District Forest Officer, Bangalore District at the risk of the original purchasers as they have failed to execute the bond as per condition of the sale notification, dated 7th April 1925.

Taluk.	*Date of sale*	*Place of sale*
Hoskote.	... 5th November 1925	... District Forest Office, Bangalore.

Remarks.—Includes produce on all Government unoccupied lands. Amrut Mahal Kavals, Plantations and State Forests and excludes the produce of Inam, Jodi, Kayamgutta, Sarvamanya, Kandayam and other lands which are in the occupancy of private individuals.

N.B.—Removal of Kakke bark in plantations is prohibited.

The Government will not make any extra demand for lands resigned from occupation and the lessee shall not be entitled to any rebate on account of lands taken up for cultivation during the currency of the lease.

2. The auction will commence at 2 P.M., and if it is not concluded on the same day, will be continued from day to day at the same hour until concluded.

3. Defaulters on account of previous leases will not be permitted to bid.

4. No person will be allowed to bid unless he (1) produces a certificate from the Amildar of the Taluk in which he resides in regard to his solvency and its extent or an exchange certificate as provided for in clause 5, and (2) deposits also with the officer holding the sale a sum of Rs. 200 which must, except under unavoidable circumstances be in the form of cash or currency notes.

5. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately after the sale.

6. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder subject to the confirmation of the Conservator of Forests who, at his discretion, may accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason therefor.

7. The successful bidder shall immediately after the close of the sale, credit into the Government Treasury, one-quarter of the total sale amount including the deposit already made together with local, railway and other cesses, *on the full lease amount* at the rates prevailing in the district. In default, the deposit already made will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government by it, but will have no claim to any surplus accruing therefrom. Such losses shall be recoverable as an arrear of land revenue.

8. If the sale is not confirmed, by the authority concerned, all moneys paid will be refunded to the party.

9. Within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale, the successful bidder shall execute an agreement with one or more sureties to the satisfaction of the District

Forest Officer on a stamped paper of the value of ten annas procured at his own cost, and also furnish security deposit of Rs. 500 or one-quarter of the sale amount, whichever is less, for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the contract in the shape of Government Savings Bank Deposit. In default either to execute the agreement with the necessary sureties or to furnish the required security or both, the contract will be cancelled all the monies already paid forfeited to Government and the right resold, at the defaulter's risk. He shall have no claim to any surplus accruing from such resale, but shall be liable for the loss arising therefrom which will be recovered as an arrear of land revenue under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation.

N.B.—The solvency and the respectability of the sureties should be proved to the satisfaction of the District Forest Officer and the sureties shall be held responsible for all payments to be made under the lease and for the due fulfilment of all the conditions of the contract.

Note.—A sample form of the agreement may be seen at any of the District Forest Offices.

10. The balance of the sale amount shall be paid in two equal instalments as follows :—

First instalment on or before 1st March 1926.
Second instalment on or before 1st July 1926.

In default to pay the instalments on the due dates, his contract shall be cancelled and the right resold, the defaulter being liable for any deficit in the amount due to Government less the amount already paid. He shall have no claim on the surplus accruing from such resale, but shall be liable to the loss arising therefrom which shall be recovered as an arrear of land revenue under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation or any other law in force for the time being.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement are :—

(*a*) The lessee shall hold himself responsible to prevent the cutting of tender stems under one year by himself, his servants or agents.

(*b*) The lessee shall furnish a list of sub-contractors, agents or maistries and servants who may be appointed by him for the collection of the bark.

(*c*) The lessee shall work out the lease himself and not transfer or sub-let it to others, without the previous sanction of the Conservator of Forests.

(*d*) The barked wood shall be the property of the lessee.

(*e*) The coolies employed by the lessee must take permits from the Range Officers when they enter State Forests.

(*f*) The lessee shall keep accounts showing the quantity of the bark collected and removed in accordance with the lease and permit the inspection of such accounts by any Forest Officer of and above the rank of a Ranger having jurisdiction within the area referring to the lease; and the officers of the Revenue and Police Departments, of and above the rank of an Amildar or Police Inspector, respectively.

(*g*) The lessee shall render every month to the District Forest Officer, an account of the number of cartloads of Tangadi and Kakke barks collected and carted during the month.

(*h*) The lessee shall provide printed licenses and passes in triplicate for the collection and for the export of the bark under his signature. In the latter case, each cartload must be covered by a pass. These licenses and passes which will be in books shall be obtained from the Range Forest Officer and will have a seal of the District Forest Officer, impressed. The duplicate copies will be submitted to the Range Forest Officer on the day on which the license or pass is issued. When the books are completed, the counterfoils should be returned to the District Forest Officer through the Range Officer and fresh supply obtained.

N.B.—Forest Forms 84 and 85 shall be used.

(*i*) The lessee or sub-lessee, his agents or maistries and servants shall be held responsible for any fires caused by negligence either by themselves or by their workmen and shall prevent the occurrence of fires in the forests in which they may be working and render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may break out accidentally. They will be liable also under the Forest Regulation, irrespective of any action that may be taken under the contract.

(*j*) The lessee shall remove out of the limits of the district before the 31st July 1925, all bark collected and stored under the terms of the lease.

(*k*) Neither the lessee or sub-lessee nor his employees shall enter the State Forests either before sunrise or after sunset.

(*l*) No collection of the bark will be permitted in the State Forests during the fire season, *i.e.*, from the 15th February to the end of April of each year.

(*m*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall not interfere with the recognised right of Inamdars.

(*n*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall hold himself responsible for the acts of his agents or servants in the business of collection and transport.

11. In the event of breach of any of these conditions, the lease will be cancelled or the security amount forfeited in whole or in part or both these penalties will be enforced at the discretion of the Conservator of Forests. In the case of mere forfeiture of the security

Notification, dated the 2nd October 1925.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting the Honge Seeds and leaves in the State Forests of the District, up to end of June 1926 will be sold Rangewar, by the Range Forest Officers concerned on the dates noted against them :—

Serial No.	Name of Range	Place of sale	Date of sale
1	Closepet (only Magadi Taluk)	Magadi Traveller's Bungalow	24th Oct. 1925
2	Kabbal	Polya Range Office ...	31st Oct. 1925
3	Satnur (except Chilandadi State Forest.)	Satnur Traveller's Bungalow ...	30th Oct. 1925
4	Muggur	Kodihalli Traveller's Bungalow	28th Oct. 1925
5	Kankanhalli	Kankanhalli Traveller's Bungalow.	26th Oct. 1925
6	Anekal	Kagglipur Range Office ...	29th Oct. 1925
7	Bangalore	Bangalore	3rd Nov. 1925
		Dodballapur	6th Nov. 1925
		Devanhalli	9th Nov. 1925

1. The auction sale will commence at 2 P.M., and, if it is not concluded on the same day, will be continued on the next following day.

2. Defaulters on account of previous leases will not be permitted to bid.

3. Intending bidders must be in possession of a certificate from the Amildar of the Taluk in which they reside, vouching for their solvency. No person will be allowed to bid in the absence of such certificate.

4. No person will be allowed to bid unless he has deposited with the officers holding the sale a sum of Rs. 10 which must be deposited in the form of currency notes. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately after the sale.

5. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed off to the highest bidder subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer, or the Conservator of Forests as the case may be, who at his discretion may accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason therefor.

6. The successful bidder shall at the close of the sale credit into the District Treasury or in any Taluk Treasury, the entire sale amount, including the deposit already made, together with local cess at one anna per rupee, education cess at six pies per rupee. In default, the deposit will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government by it, but will not participate in any profit accruing therefrom.

N.B.—If the deficit be not paid, it will be recovered as a revenue demand.

7. If the sale is not confirmed, the amount will be refunded.

8. The accepted bidder shall execute an agreement within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale binding himself to observe the conditions hereunder mentioned. In default, the acceptance of the bid will be revoked, the money already paid forfeited and the right resold.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement are :—

(*a*) The lessee shall hold himself responsible for the cutting or injuring of any other trees on the plea of collecting the produce. The lessee shall be held personally responsible for the acts of his agents or servants.

(*b*) The lessee shall furnish a list of sub-contractors, agents or servants who may be appointed by him for the collection of the produce.

(*c*) The lessee shall work out the lease himself and not transfer or sub-let it to others without the previous sanction of the District Forest Officer or the Conservator of Forests.

(*d*) The coolies employed by the lessee must take permission from the Range Officers before they enter State Forests.

(*e*) The lessee shall keep and render accounts every month to the District Forest Officer, of the produce collected and removed by him or his agents during the month. His accounts will be liable for the inspection of the Conservator of Forests or the District Forest Officer or by any other officer deputed by either of them.

(*f*) The lessee, his agents or servants shall render all possible help in preventing the occurrence of fires in Forests in which he or they may be working and render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may break out accidentally.

(*g*) The lessee shall remove out of the limits of the Forest all produce collected and sold under the terms of the lease before the close of the official year.

(*h*) Neither the lessee nor his servants shall enter the State Forests either before sunrise or after sunset.

9. In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the lease will be liable to be cancelled and the lessee fined to the extent of Rs. 100 which will be recovered as an